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FOR: SUBSTRATE WITH :  
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AND PHOTOELECTRIC CONVERSION  
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SIR:

The above-identified patent is the invention of Kazuo SATO, Naoki TANEDA,  
Makoto FUKAWA, Nobutaka AOMINE, Mika KAMBE and Yukio YOSHIKAWA.

A Petition Under 37 CFR 1.324 is being filed herewith to correct the inventorship  
shown on the above-identified patent by adding Yukio YOSHIKAWA to Kazuo SATO,  
Naoki TANEDA, Makoto FUKAWA, Nobutaka AOMINE and Mika KAMBE.

37 CFR 1.324(b)(2) requires "a statement from the current named inventors who have  
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One of the current named inventors, Kazuo SATO, is dead.

The inventors of the above-identified patent hereby petition that the Patent Office either accept the attached Statement Under 37 CFR 1.324(b)(2) executed by the legal representative of Kazuo SATO (deceased) or waive the requirements of 37 CFR 1.324(b)(2) relating to a statement from Kazuo SATO (deceased). 1183

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Please charge any additional fees for the papers being filed herewith and for which no check or credit card payment is enclosed herewith, or credit any overpayment, to deposit account number 15-0030.

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